



**October 4, 2021**

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October is [National Arts & Humanities Month](#). Here is [President Biden's proclamation](#).

#### **QUOTE OF THE DAY**

"From our Nation's earliest days, we have recognized the arts as a foundation of our Republic. As George Washington wrote in 1781, 'The arts and sciences [are] essential to the prosperity of the State and to the ornament and happiness of human life.' Today, any American—regardless of their background—can create art and turn to it for hope, acceptance, and inspiration. The arts and humanities have united us as a Nation—from the television programs we watch to the books and exhibits that inspire us—providing a sense of community when we need it most." – President Joseph R. Biden, from his 2021 Arts and Humanities Month Proclamation

"My life has a superb cast but I can't figure out the plot." – Ashleigh Brilliant

"We have two ears and one mouth so that we can listen twice as much as we speak." – Epictetus

"The trouble with the world is that the stupid are cocksure and the intelligent full of doubt." – Bertrand Russell

"Human speech is like a cracked kettle on which we tap crude rhythms for bears to dance to, while we long to make music that will melt the stars." – Gustave Flaubert

"Everything is complicated; if that were not so, life and poetry and everything else would be a bore." – Wallace Stevens

"When I am dead, I hope it may be said: 'His sins were scarlet, but his books were read.'" – Hilaire Belloc

## VIDEO OF THE DAY

[Milwaukee Symphony shows off new home](#)  
*WISN*

[The Hamel Music Center is a symphony for the eyes](#)  
*UW-Madison*

[Warren Gerds/Critic at Large: Extra! 150 years later, Northeastern Wisconsin catastrophe brings awe](#)  
*WeAreGreenBay.com*

[James Baldwin and Music: The Gospel of his Literary Blues](#)  
*National Jazz Museum in Harlem*

*Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to [artsboard@wisconsin.gov](mailto:artsboard@wisconsin.gov)!*

## TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

### FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

**NEW** [America's Cultural Agencies Celebrate 35th Anniversary of Arts and Humanities Month 2021](#)  
*National Endowment for the Arts*

**NEW** [NCN Articles of Interest | October 1, 2021](#)  
*National Creativity Network*

[WAB Announces Wisconsin Arts Rescue Grant Program](#)  
*Wisconsin Arts Board*  
**Deadline: October 14**

[\\$53 Million Initiative Offers Much-Needed Support for Arts Organizations of Color](#)  
*The Wallace Foundation*  
**October 7 | Session 2: Continuing the Conversation**

**Wisconsin Artists and Arts Organizations: Participate in the New COVID-19 Impact Surveys Today! (links below)**  
*Americans for the Arts and Artist Relief*  
[COVID-19 Impact Survey for Organizations](#)  
[COVID-19 Impact Survey for Artists](#)

[2021 Marketplace Re-opening Materials](#)  
*Covering Wisconsin*

*Need health insurance but don't know where to turn? Covering Wisconsin can help.*

[Shuttered Venue Operators Grants - FAQ \(sba.gov\)](#)  
*US Small Business Administration*

More information on the Shuttered Venue Operators Grants (SVOG) can be found on the SBA website: [Shuttered Venue Operators Grant \(sba.gov\)](#).

[ANALYSIS: COVID-19's Impacts on the Arts and Culture](#)  
*COVID-19 RSFLG Data and Assessment Working Group*

For resources to help you move through this current crisis, please check out our [COVID-19 and the arts in Wisconsin webpage](#)

## **Job Opportunities**

[Here Is Your Opportunity to Work at The Marcus Performing Arts Center!](#)  
*Marcus Performing Arts Center*  
**Various**

[Job Opportunity | Director of Education](#)  
*Arts + Literature Laboratory*  
**Deadline: Until Filled**

[Careers](#)  
*gener8tor*  
**Deadline: Various**

## **Deadlines | Resources | Events**

[MKEArts Homecoming Celebration](#)  
*MKEArts*  
**Through October 4**

[Rauschenberg Medical Emergency Grants](#)  
*New York Foundation for the Arts*  
**Deadline: October 4 | Cycle 9; November 30 | Cycle 10**

[Announcing the GIG Fund](#)  
*Arts Midwest*  
**Deadline #2: October 5 for projects happening January through June, 2022**

[2021 NDEO Virtual National Convention](#)  
*National Dance Education Organization*  
**October 7 – 10 | Virtual Event**

Fall Conference 2021: Raising Our Words

*Wisconsin Writers Association*

**October 9**

Ethno USA 2021

*Ethno*

**October 9 – 20 | Asheville, NC**

2021 Midwest Design Week

*AIGA Midwest Chapters*

**October 11 – 15**

2021 Emerging Program Institute | Virtual

*Alliance for Artist Communities*

**October 11 – 23**

Toward One Wisconsin Diversity Event Shifts to Fully Virtual Conference

*Volume One Magazine*

**October 12 – 13**

Wisconsin Humanities Recovery Grants

*Wisconsin Humanities*

**Second deadline: October 15**

Propose a Residency | Interdisciplinary Artist-in-Residence Teaching (IART) Program

*UW-Madison Division of the Arts*

**Deadline: October 18 (deadline extended)**

Learning From Arts Alumni: Supporting Careers and Addressing Inequities

*2021 SNAAP Online Research Symposium*

**October 20 – 23**

Creative Community Champion Awards

*Arts Wisconsin*

**October 21**

NACEDA Summit 2020

*National Alliance of Community Economic Development Associations*

**October 21 – 23**

2021 Wisconsin Science Festival

*Wisconsin Science Festival*

**October 21 – 24**

2021 Wisconsin Book Festival

*Wisconsin Book Festival*

**October 21 – 24, and all year round**

Best Communities for Music Education

*NAMM Foundation*

**Survey Opens October 26**

Wisconsin People & Ideas 2021 Fiction and Poetry Contest Reading

*Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts, and Letters*

**October 28 | Virtual**

Save the NEW Date!

*Convention, Sports & Entertainment Facilities Conference*

**October 28 – 29 | San Diego**

Public Art - Metro Campus | Request for Qualifications

*Madison Arts Commission*

**Deadline: October 29**

Congressman Steil announces youth app contest; Nov. 1 entry deadline

*Kenosha News*

**Deadline: November 1**

2021 Conference

*Association of Midwest Museums*

**November 1 – 5 | Virtual**

2021 Statewide Conference on Philanthropy

*Wisconsin Philanthropy Network*

**November 3 – 4**

Sharing Stories: The Case for Art

*Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities*

**November 3 - 5 | Online**

*Conference proposals are due by May 21.*

Save the Date | Annual Dance Conference

*Wisconsin Dance Council*

**November 6**

CODAsummit: The Intersection of Art, Technology and Place

*CODAworx*

**November 10 – 12 | Scottsdale, AZ & Virtual**

Sustain Dane Summit

*Sustain Dane*

**November 18**

National Directors Conference  
*American Association of Community Theatre*  
**November 19 – 21 | San Antonio, TX**

USArtists International  
*Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation*  
**Deadline: December 1, 2021** for projects taking place between March 15, 2022 and March 14, 2023.  
**Deadline: March 30, 2022** for projects taking place between July 1, 2022, and June 30, 2023.

National Arts Marketing Project Conference!  
*Americans for the Arts*  
**December 7 – 8**

Nō Studios Artist Grant: Grants for Wisconsin Creatives  
*Nō Studios*

- **Other Creative Professionals** (Theater/Dance/Performance/Spoken Word/Fashion)  
- Applications must be received by **December 10, 2021**. Grant awardees will be selected in February 2022.

Creative Forces Community Engagement Grants to Provide Arts Programming for Military-Connected Individuals Nationwide  
*National Endowment for the Arts*  
**Deadline: December 15**

Make Music Winter | A Not-So-Silent Night  
*Make Music Day*  
**December 21**

2022 Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Tourism  
*Wisconsin Department of Tourism*  
**March 13 – 15, 2022**

NEW Transformation Awaits: The NAMM Show Announces Return to Anaheim in June 2022  
NAMM  
**June 3 – 5**

Online Workshops and Conversations  
*Creative Capital*  
**Various**

## **IN THE NEWS**

**Visual Arts/Museums**

[Cultural ties: Hmong-inspired macramé at malyMADE is flying off the shelves](#)  
*The Capital Times*

['Dumpty Humpty' statue recovered, thief confesses, police say | Crime](#)  
*Wisconsin State Journal*

[Historical Society's glassy new museum would open a window to Capitol Square](#)  
*Wisconsin State Journal*

[Welcome to Wonderground: Madison Children's Museum debuts outdoor play area](#)  
*The Capital Times*

[Hindman's Fall Fine Art Sales Realize Over \\$7.5 Million, Martin Wong Among 15 Auction Records](#)  
*ArtFix Daily*

[Opinion | How Museums and NFTs Might Find Common Ground](#)  
*Hyperallergic*

[As statues fall, an answer for who should be placed on pedestals is revealed](#)  
*GOOD*

[Belonging: Co-creating welcoming and equitable museums](#)  
*Facing Change | American Alliance of Museums*

[How Smithsonian Associates Reimagined Its Music Programs for Older Adults during the Pandemic](#)  
*Museums & Aging | American Alliance of Museums*

## **Arts and Creativity in Education**

[Wisconsin Conservatory of Music instrument drive benefits students](#)  
*Fox 6 Now*

[UW-La Crosse alum finds calling as museum marketer](#)  
*All in Wisconsin | University of Wisconsin System*

## **Community Arts**

["Trailblazers" Celebrates Ruth Bader Ginsburg and Women's Rights](#)  
*The Pointer | UW-Stevens Point*

[Sindie's Perfect Milwaukee Day](#)  
*Imagine This Blog*

Also  
[Yhazmin's Perfect Milwaukee Day](#)  
*Imagine This Blog*

[TheyKhem's Perfect Milwaukee Day](#)  
*Imagine This Blog*

## **Folk Arts/Folklife**

['A new generation': Latino community celebrates Hispanic Heritage Month in Racine, continues advocacy](#)  
*Racine Journal Times*

[Residents learn to dance from 'Viking Sorceress' during UW-Green Bay festival](#)  
*WeAreGreenBay.com*

[What Afghan Women Want You to Know](#)  
*To the Best of Our Knowledge | Wisconsin Public Radio*

## **Literary Arts/Libraries**

[Michael Perry: From the couch, a 66-yard field goal looks a lot easier than it is](#)  
*Roughneck Grace | Wisconsin State Journal*

[Director Karin Adams and her love of libraries](#)  
*The Eagle Herald*

[Sun Prairie Public Library among 15 PSC infrastructure grant recipients](#)  
*Sun Prairie Star*

[Poet Tracy K. Smith on Finding Joy During an Unbearable Year](#)  
*TIME*

[Ada Limón | Lover](#)  
*Poem-a-Day, Poets.org*

## **Media Arts**

[Hollywood faces new crisis in strike threat from off-screen workers who keep productions running](#)  
*The Washington Post*

Also  
[118 members of Congress call for improved wages, conditions for IATSE members](#)  
*Reel 360*

[DGA Sets Negotiating Committee Chairs for 2023 Contract Talks](#)  
*Variety*

## **Performing Arts**

### **Dance**

["Free At Last?' Please. Who Is Free?" Choreographer Bill T. Jones Reflects on a Half Century of Creative Work](#)

*TIME*

## **Music**

[10 top Milwaukee albums and songs to check out in October, with Lakeyah, WebsterX, MT and more](#)

*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

[Podcast E.197: Casey Virock | Porcupine](#)

*La Crosse Local*

## **Presenting**

[Wausau's Grand Theater to require proof of vaccination or negative COVID-19 test for entry](#)

*Wausau Pilot & Review*

## **Theater**

[5 Milwaukee Comics You Need to Know About](#)

*Milwaukee Magazine*

[Kurt Weill Foundation Welcomes Applications for Grant Program](#)

*PND by Candid*

**Deadline: November 1**

## **Other**

[Budget or Fudge It? Will NEA & NEH Actually Get Their "Historic Increase" in Federal Arts & Humanities Funds?](#)

*CultureGrrl | ArtsJournal.com*

[How Can You Boost Year-End Giving? Part 2](#)

*NonProfit Pro*

[Why Embedding an Artist in Your Nonprofit Is a Sound Investment](#)

*Independent Sector, The Chronicle of Philanthropy*

## **WHEN YOU GO**

### **Visual Arts/Museums**

[Out in the open - An art exhibit aims to spark a conversation about mental illness](#)

*Isthmus*

**Through May 22**

## Arts and Creativity in Education

[Ripon High School hosts Marching Show Exhibition](#)

*Ripon Commonwealth Press*

**October 4**

[UW-Parkside to stage 'The Penelopiad'](#)

*Racine Journal Times*

**October 15 - 24**

## Folk Arts/Folklife

[Viroqua library, partners plan Day of the Dead celebration](#)

*Vernon County Times*

**October 16**

## Literary Arts/Libraries

[Chippewa Valley Book Festival Preview: Q&A With Author, Teacher, and Public Speaker](#)

[Kao Kalia Yang](#)

*Volume One Magazine*

**October 24 – 29**

[Library Programs](#)

*Racine Journal Times*

**Various**

## Media Arts

[Meet WPR at the WI Science Fest & Book Fest](#)

*Wisconsin Public Radio*

**October 21 – 24 AND October 5, 21, 23 November 2**

## OPPORTUNITIES

[Allow Irvine Park to Inspire Your Artistic Vision With This New Contest](#)

*Volume One Magazine*

**Through December 31 | Create**

**Through January 14 | Submit**

[Plant the Seed. Inspire Through Eco-Art Competition 2022.](#)

*Earth X*

**Online submissions through January 24, 2022**

[RJE Sprout Fund Invites Proposals From Artists Working With Underserved Communities](#)

*PND by Candid*

**Deadline: Rolling**

Call for Artwork

*Northeast Wisconsin Technical College*

**Monthly Review**

Center for Craft, Creativity, & Design Invites Applications for Artist Fellowship

*PND by Candid*

**Deadline: October 4**

Rauschenberg Medical Emergency Grants

*New York Foundation for the Arts*

**Deadline: October 4 | Cycle 9; November 30 | Cycle 10**

Nineteenth Cycle of Fellowship Program for Visual Artists Announced

*The Lynden*

**Deadline: October 7**

YoungArts Welcomes Applications for 2022 YoungArts Award Competition

*PND by Candid*

**Deadline: October 15**

Propose a Residency | Interdisciplinary Artist-in-Residence Teaching (IART) Program

*UW-Madison Division of the Arts*

**Deadline: October 18 (deadline extended)**

Applications open for \$100 million in Workforce Innovation Grants

*EIN Presswire, Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation*

**Deadline: October 25**

Roy W. Dean Grant Application

*From the Heart Productions*

**Fall Grant Deadline – October 31**

**NEW** Kurt Weill Foundation Welcomes Applications for Grant Program

*PND by Candid*

**Deadline: November 1**

IMLS Museums for America Grants

*Institute of Museum and Library Services*

**Deadline: November 15**

IMLS Museums Grants for African American Culture and History

*Institute of Museum and Library Services*

**Deadline: November 15**

IMLS Native American - Native Hawaiian Museums Service Grants

*Institute of Museum and Library Services*

**Deadline: November 15**

IMLS Inspire! Grants for Small Museums  
*Institute of Museum and Library Services*  
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Amphion Foundation Invites Applications From Non-Performing Musical Organizations  
*PND by Candid*  
**Deadline: December 13**

Creative Forces Community Engagement Grants to Provide Arts Programming for Military-Connected Individuals Nationwide  
*National Endowment for the Arts*  
**Deadline: December 15**

Wisconsin's Own Submission Guidelines  
*2022 Wisconsin Film Festival*  
**Deadline: Early-Bird Discount | December 17; Final deadline | January 7**

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund  
*Awards & Grants | American Library Association*  
**Deadline: None. Monthly Review**

Open Grant Solicitations  
*Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State*  
**Various**

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